STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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This relates to domestic violence and crime prevention; amending Section 39-6301, Idaho Code, to revise the short title of the Act; amending Section 39-6303, Idaho Code, to revise definitions and to define terms; amending Section 39-6304, Idaho Code, to revise provisions relating to actions for protection associated with domestic violence and to provide for actions for protection associated with sexual assault, sexual abuse and stalking; amending Section 39-6306, Idaho Code, to revise provisions relating to the time in which courts must hold hearings on petitions for protection orders, to revise provisions relating to protection orders associated with domestic violence, to provide for protection orders associated with sexual assault, sexual abuse and stalking, to remove a time limitation provision relating to protection orders, to provide that relief shall not be denied in the event of specified circumstances in matters involving sexual assault, sexual abuse and stalking, to provide that proof of physical injury shall not be required in matters relating to sexual assault, to provide that a court may consider whether a petitioner's affidavit is consistent with any physical injuries present in regard to sexual assault protection orders, to remove a time limitation provision relating to relief granted by a protection order, to provide for nondisclosure of addresses and to make a technical correction; amending Section 39-6308, Idaho Code, to revise provisions relating to ex parte temporary protection orders in regard to domestic violence, to provide for ex parte temporary protection orders in regard to matters involving sexual assault, sexual abuse and stalking, to revise provisions relating to the duration of ex parte temporary protection orders, to revise provisions relating to the time in which courts must hold hearings on ex parte temporary protection orders and to make technical corrections; amending Section 39-6311, Idaho Code, to remove a time limitation provision relating to renewed protection orders; and amending Section 16-1602, Idaho Code, to provide a correct code reference.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no fiscal impact to the General Fund.

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